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House Resolution No. 2936

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Goers, residents of Union, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Sixtieth Wedding Anniversary during a surprise celebration on March 12, 2005, at O'Charlies; and

Whereas, upon attaining this significant milestone in their marriage, Melvin and Eula (Torbert) Goers undoubtedly looked back some six decades ago and reminisced about the day they met, their courtship, and the beautiful ceremony in which they exchanged their sacred nuptial vows on March 17, 1945, at the Naval Air Station Chapel in Pensacola, Florida; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Melvin and Eula Goers have had the pleasure of raising four sons, Jim Goers of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Gary Goers of Kansas City, Ron Goers of Omaha, Nebraska, and Keith Goers of Washington, and the privilege of spoiling seven grandchildren; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Goers provided their children with tremendous emotional support, guidance, and understanding which enhanced their lives in countless ways and enabled them to become responsible citizens; and

Whereas, Melvin Goers provided a comfortable home and secure future for his loved ones through his successful twenty-seven year endeavor as the owner and operator of Medical Arts Pharmacy; while Eula distinguished herself as a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker who taught at Union High School for fifteen years; and

Whereas, during their six decades together, Melvin and Eula Goers have discovered that a successful marriage is a labor of love, which can be achieved only when realized that it is a gift, as well as an undertaking; and

Whereas, Melvin and Eula Goers have made a spirited effort to keep their relationship fresh and alive, and have cherished each other every day in sickness and in health with the love so deep in their hearts:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Melvin and Eula Goers and in wishing them only the best as they continue their journey together walking hand-in-hand along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Goers.

Offered by	
_	Representative Brian Nieves
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I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2936, adopted May 5, 2005.